Fiscal Year 2016 (FY16) Prostate Cancer Research Program (PCRP) Reference Table of Award Mechanisms and Submission Requirements

PCRP AWARD MECHANISMS WITH EMPHASIS ON IMPACT					
Award Mechanism	Eligibility	Key Mechanism Elements	Funding	Submission Deadline	
Go to:	ependent investigators at or ove the level of Assistant fessor (or equivalent)	 Preproposal is required; application submission is by invitation only. Supports high-impact, potentially highrisk, studies (including clinical trials) that address a central question or problem in prostate cancer. As such, the primary emphasis of this mechanism is on impact. Potential impact of the research may be near-term or long-term, but it must be significant and go beyond an incremental advancement. Proposed projects may include basic, translational, or clinical research, including clinical trials. Preliminary data to support feasibility are required. Partnering PI option: Provides a higher level of funding to support synergistic partnerships between two or three independent investigators collaborating on a single application. PIs are expected to demonstrate within the application the synergistic components that will significantly advance the project such that the research outcomes could not otherwise be accomplished through independent efforts of a single PI. Allows for individual awards to multiple sites (maximum of three sites in total), provided the combined direct costs for all sites does not exceed the \$2M maximum. 	 Individual PIs: Maximum funding of \$750,000 (K) for direct costs (plus indirect costs) Maximum period of performance is 3 years Partnering PI Option: Maximum funding of \$2M for direct costs (plus indirect costs) Maximum period of performance is 3 years 	Pre-application (Preproposal): June 9, 2016 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time Application: August 25, 2016 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time	

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Award Mechanism	Eligibility	Key Mechanism Elements	Funding	Submission Deadline
Health Disparity Research Award Go to: Program Announcement General Application Instructions Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-16-PCRP-HDRA	Established Investigators: Independent investigators at or above the level of Assistant Professor (or equivalent); or New Investigators: Investigators: Investigators that meet the following criteria at the application submission deadline date: • Have the freedom to pursue individual aims without formal mentorship • Have not previously received a PCRP Health Disparity Research Award and/or Idea Development Award • If not in an independent faculty position (or equivalent), have completed at least 3 years of postdoctoral training or fellowship • If in an independent faculty position (or equivalent), are within 5 years of having begun work as an independent investigator	 Preproposal is required; application submission is by invitation only. Supports new ideas for prostate cancer research that have the potential to make an important contribution to reducing and ultimately eliminating disparities in prostate cancer incidence, morbidity, and mortality. Preliminary data are encouraged, but not required. New Investigator Option supports applicants early in their faculty appointments or in the process of developing independent research careers. Qualified Collaborator Option supports a higher level of funding for PIs who include a collaborator that significantly contributes (10% level of effort or greater and provides both intellectual input and research resources) to the research project such that it could not otherwise be accomplished. Nested Young Investigator Option supports mentorship of predoctoral or postdoctoral investigators, nested within the overall proposed project, for individuals committed to pursuing careers as independent investigators in prostate cancer health disparity research. 	 Maximum funding of \$450K for direct costs (plus indirect costs) If applying for the Qualified Collaborator Option, maximum funding of \$600K for direct costs (plus indirect costs) Maximum period of performance is 3 years Additional funds can be requested if including the Nested Young Investigator Option Predoctoral PIs: Up to \$92,500 in additional direct costs (plus indirect costs) Postdoctoral PIs: Up to \$115,000 in additional direct costs (plus indirect costs) 	Pre-application (Preproposal): June 9, 2016 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time Application: August 25, 2016 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time

PCRP AWARD MECHANISMS WITH EMPHASIS ON INNOVATION				
Award Mechanism	Eligibility	Key Mechanism Elements	Funding	Submission Deadline
Idea Development Award Go to: Program Announcement General Application Instructions Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-16-PCRP-IDA	Established Investigators: Independent investigators at or above the level of Assistant Professor (or equivalent); or New Investigators: Investigators that meet the following criteria at the application submission deadline date: • Have the freedom to pursue individual aims without formal mentorship • Have not previously received a PCRP Idea Development Award • If not in an independent faculty position (or equivalent), have completed at least 3 years of postdoctoral training or fellowship • If in an independent faculty position (or equivalent), are within 5 years of having begun work as an independent investigator	 Preproposal is required; application submission is by invitation only. Supports new ideas that represent innovative, high-risk/high-gain approaches to prostate cancer research, and have the potential to make an important contribution to eliminating death from prostate cancer and enhancing the well-being of men with prostate cancer. Preliminary data are encouraged but not required. Innovation, Impact, and Synergy (for Partnering PI applicants only) are the most important review criteria. Clinical trials are not allowed. New Investigator Option supports applicants early in their faculty appointments or in the process of developing independent research careers. Partnering PI Option: Provides a higher level of funding to support synergistic partnerships between two or three independent Established Investigators collaborating on a single application. PIs are expected to demonstrate within the application the synergistic components that will significantly advance the project such that the research outcomes could not otherwise be accomplished through independent efforts of a single PI. Allows for individual awards to multiple sites (maximum of three sites in total), provided the combined direct costs for all sites does not exceed the \$1M maximum. 	Established PIs: • Maximum funding of \$600K for direct costs (plus indirect costs) • Maximum period of performance is 3 years New Investigator Option: • Maximum funding of \$275K for direct costs (plus indirect costs) • Maximum period of performance is 3 years Partnering PI Option: • Maximum funding of \$1M for direct costs (plus indirect costs) • Maximum period of performance is 3 years	Pre-application (Preproposal): June 23, 2016 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time Application: October 6, 2016 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time

PCRP AWARD MECHANISMS WITH EMPHASIS ON TRAINING					
Award Mechanism	Eligibility	Key Mechanism Elements	Funding	Submission Deadline	
Physician Research Award Go to: Program Announcement General Application Instructions Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-16-PCRP-PRA	At the time of application submission, the PI must be either: • In the last year of an accredited medical residency or medical fellowship program; or • Within 3 years of having initiated an appointment as Instructor, Assistant Professor, or equivalent	 Supports a mentored research experience to prepare physicians with clinical duties and/or responsibilities for productive careers in prostate cancer research PIs must demonstrate a commitment to a career at the forefront of prostate cancer research and clinical practice. PIs must have a designated mentor with an established research program in prostate cancer. Institutions must provide at least 40% protection of PI's time for research. 	Maximum funding of \$520K for direct costs (plus indirect costs) Maximum period of performance is 4 years; minimum is 3 years	Pre-application (Letter of Intent): July 7, 2016 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time Confidential Letters of Recommendation: July 26, 2016 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time Application: July 21, 2016 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time	
Early Investigator Research Award Go to: • Program Announcement • General Application Instructions Grants.gov Funding Opportunity Number: W81XWH-16-PCRP-EIRA	 By March 31, 2017, The Predoctoral PI must: Be enrolled full-time in an accredited doctoral program; and Must have successfully completed comprehensive examinations or otherwise met predissertation requirements The Postdoctoral PI must: Have successfully defended a doctoral thesis or possess an M.D. degree, and Have 3 years or less of postdoctoral fellowship experience 	 Supports prostate cancer-focused research opportunities for individuals in the early stages of their careers. PIs must have a designated mentor who is an experienced prostate cancer researcher. 	Maximum period of performance is 2 years Predoctoral PIs: Maximum of \$60K for direct costs (plus indirect costs Postdoctoral PIs: Maximum of \$125K for direct costs (plus indirect costs)	Pre-application (Letter of Intent): July 7, 2016 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time Confidential Letters of Recommendation: July 26, 2016 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time Application: July 21, 2016 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time	